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## HUGHES LEADS AS CHOICE OF G.O.P. LEADERS

Distinct Turn of Sentiment  
Favorable to Justice No-  
ticeable at Chicago.

### SENATOR SMOOT FOR HIM

Utah Solon Says He Would  
Lay 10 to 1 Jurist Will Be  
Party Nominee.

### G. W. PERKINS IS CONCILIATORY

Progressive Leader Gives Impression He  
Is Actuated by Sincere Desire for  
Harmony in Convention.

By ELTING A. FOWLER.  
(The Sun News Service.)

Chicago, June 1.—This was a Hughes day. There was a further distinct turn toward the Supreme Court justice for the Republican Presidential nomination, while the Roosevelt movement seemed to be practically at a standstill so far as it was reflected among the Republican leaders who are gathering here for the national convention.

The coming together of the Republican national committee to pass on the contested seats disclosed a surprising strong undercurrent in favor of Hughes among the party leaders. The talk among them for Roosevelt was much less pronounced. On one point nearly all seemed to agree, that the nomination for first place on the Republican ticket lies between the jurist and Colonel Roosevelt.

### Smoot for Hughes.

The situation was summed up by Reed Smoot, United States Senator from Utah, who declared in favor of Justice Hughes upon his arrival here this morning. Senator Smoot is credited with being one of the keenest political observers among conservative leaders, and his statement attracted added attention because of the fact that personally he always has been friendly disposed toward Colonel Roosevelt.

"If I were a betting man I would lay odds of 10 to 1 that Hughes will be the nominee, and 20 to 1 that Roosevelt will not get the nomination. That is the way I size up the situation after conferring with leaders from all sections of the country."

### Other Views Similar.

This statement by Senator Smoot is only one of several made by several Republican leaders who arrived here today and who seemed disposed to urge the nomination of Hughes. Most of these were not ready to talk for publication, but their leaning toward Hughes was unmistakable.

Next to the drift which seems to have set in again toward Justice Hughes, the most interesting development of the day was the evidence given that the Progressive party leaders are not coming to Chicago with any chip on their shoulder, but that they are actuated by a sincere desire for harmony. George W. Perkins, soon after his arrival in Chicago, issued a statement in which he emphasized the fact that the all-important issue is the elimination of President Wilson from the White House.

### THROUGH WINDOW FOR MAN.

#### Girl Chauffeur Saves His Life at Risk of Own.

Bloomington, Pa., June 1.—Rather than run down a man, Miss Catherine Struthers, 18 years old, turned her car directly into the display windows of a department store, breaking three of the plate glass windows. She stuck to the car and brought it to a standstill. James Ale was standing in the middle of a street when Miss Struthers turned a corner, but did not hear her horn. When too close to avoid a collision, the girl quickly decided to take chances on losing her own life.

### Germans Seek More Credit.

Berlin (via Sayville wireless), June 1.—A new vote of credit for \$2,500,000,000 will soon be moved in the Reichstag, although the government has enough cash on hand to carry on the war for some time, according to the Vossische Zeitung.

## The Washington Herald Will Receive Donations For Preparedness Parade Fund

Here is an opportunity for you to aid in making Washington's preparedness parade June 14 the biggest and most spectacular yet staged by any city.

Fill out the blank below and mail it to The Preparedness Editor, The Washington Herald, together with your contribution, and the donation will be acknowledged and forwarded promptly to Rudolph Kauffman, treasurer of the committee in charge:

I, \_\_\_\_\_  
of \_\_\_\_\_  
enclose \$\_\_\_\_\_ to help defray the expenses of  
Washington's preparedness parade.

## Hughes Strength Crops Out at Numerous Points

(By the Sun News Service.)

Chicago, June 1.—Recognition of the strength of Justice Hughes was evidenced today by several incidents.

Indiana politicians asked for more definite information as to what recognition the organization could expect at the hands of Mr. Hughes after he became President. They desired to know whether the justice believed in party organization and the recognition of party leadership in distributing patronage.

Iowa politicians, who also have a favorite son, also wanted to know whether Justice Hughes would accept if nominated, and admitted that if they could be assured on this point the chances for him in Iowa would be improved.

National Committee Chairman C. Warren, of Michigan, announced that that State would vote for Hughes on the first ballot regardless of the forward instructions.

Maine, it was said, would vote for favorite sons on the first ballot, and would go solidly to Hughes on the second ballot.

## T.R. AND "FITZ" TABLE-MATES

Former President and Former  
Champion Pugilist Together  
in Newark, N. J.

### COLONEL GIVEN OVATION AT BIG CELEBRATION

"Weasel Words and Weasel Deeds"  
Again Scored by Roosevelt in  
Impromptu Speech.

(By the Sun News Service.)

Newark, N. J., June 1.—Colonel Roosevelt came back tonight from his tumultuous invasion of the Middle West and stopped off here to address a crowd of between seven and eight thousand that packed the First Regiment Armory for the Industrial Exposition, being held there.

Colonel Roosevelt was met at the Pennsylvania Station by Frank Murphy, former governor and chairman of the committee of 100 in charge of Newark's 20th anniversary, at the head of a reception committee.

Former Gov. Murphy is the Republican candidate for the United States Senate, and also a national committeeman, but the greater significance was in the fact that he hadn't spoken to Colonel Roosevelt since 1912, and had let his friendship for the Colonel lapse since that year. Tonight he welcomed the Colonel heartily and was greeted as heartily in return.

Austen Colgate, candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, wore a Roosevelt button. Another guest was "Bob" Fitzsimmons, the ex-prize fighter, who was pushed into a chair next to the former President by the former President, and forced into an earnest conversation.

The first thing the Colonel did at the exposition was to go into a side room to tell the members of the First Regiment, National Guard of New Jersey: "I don't believe in weasel words, and I don't believe in weasel deeds. I don't believe in the deed that seeks the meaning out of all the words. I believe in preparedness, and not in letting George do it. I believe in the system in which employers and employed stand and work together. That's the American democratic principle of preparedness. Until we get it through-out the country we owe a debt of gratitude to you men."

### Two Killed in Auto Crash.

South Bend, Ind., June 1.—Two persons were killed and two probably fatally injured early today when their automobile crashed into a street car. The dead are Mrs. Edgar P. Galbreath and her daughter, Margaret, 14. Edgar P. Galbreath and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Runyan, are thought to have little chance for recovery.

## Eastern Wins Cadet Flag After Eleven Lean Years; Also Takes Second Honors

Capt. William E. Barkham, of Company F, and  
Capt. Charles M. Boteler, of Company G,  
Push Southeast Cadets to an Over-  
whelming Victory.

Eleven years ago a young cadet captain named Linthicum piloted Company F, of Eastern High School, to a sweeping victory in the yearly cadet drill, and yesterday, after eleven lean, pennantless years another captain hero pushed through that same company and brought back the flag to Eastern.

The southeast rocked with joy last night. From garret to basement the Capitol Hill school blazed with electricity and colors. Capt. William E. Barkham—plain "Bill" Barkham—was the lad who brought the drill honors back to the southeast.

But that didn't end the honors. There was another Eastern company at the ball park yesterday, where Company F won. The other was Company G, captained by "Charlie" Boteler, and with first honors reposing again in his own school. Boteler went out and dragged in the second prize, leaving the haughty Centralites the mere consolation of third honors.

It was a big day for Eastern—the biggest in eleven years—for the percentages of the prize winners were: Company F, 93.25; Company G, 92.26, and Company D, 91.42.

### Winning Captain in Tears.

Tears coursed down the cheeks of the boyish captain, of Company F, as Brig. Gen. E. M. Weaver, U. S. A., amid the cheers of twelve thousand people, pinned the diamond-studded medal given by Allison Nailor on his breast, with the words:

"My boy, I congratulate you. I

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## Cabinet May March With President In Big Parade

When the Cabinet meets at the White House Tuesday morning it probably will accept an invitation to march as guard of honor with President Wilson at the head of Washington's preparedness parade on June 14.

The spectacle of the President of the United States walking on foot, surrounded by his Cabinet, not only will make Washington's demonstration a national affair, but will cause Flag Day of 1916 to go down as an epoch in American history.

The President and his Cabinet probably will be followed in the parade by an army of government clerks, divided into units representing each of the executive departments. The strength which Federal employees will show in the parade, however, will depend upon President Wil-

son's action on the request to close the departments on the day of the parade.

A committee of leading bankers of the city, including Robert N. Harper and William T. Gallinger, met in the rooms of the parade committee yesterday afternoon and decided to form a "bankers' parade unit" of at least 800. They also expressed themselves in favor of declaring the day a legal holiday in the District. They will perfect their plans at another meeting at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

### Stands Not Located.

The parade committee stated last night that it has not been decided where the reviewing stand will be erected. The President and Cabinet officers will head

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## ADD MILLIONS TO NAVY BILL

House Members Vote Six Mil-  
lion Dollars to Equip Yards  
for Building Ships.

### MONEY WILL BE SPENT IF CONTRACTS ARE TOO HIGH

The naval appropriation bill was amended in another important particular yesterday when the House added the sum of \$6,000,000 to equip various navy yards for the construction of naval vessels. This amount is not to be expended, however, unless private shipbuilders refuse to make satisfactory contracts with the Navy department for the vessels authorized in the pending bill.

Government yards at New Orleans, Puget Sound, Philadelphia, Boston, Norfolk, Portsmouth and Charleston are to be equipped for building operations. The yards at Puget Sound, Philadelphia, Norfolk and Boston are to be so equipped that they can turn out capital ships—battleships and dreadnoughts.

Shortly after voting an additional \$6,000,000 to the total of the naval budget, the House refused to strike from the bill the Hensley proposal for the creation of an international arbitral court to discuss permanent peace and disarmament.

On motion of Chairman Padgett, of the Naval Affairs Committee, an amendment was included which is designed to encourage enlistment in the navy. The Padgett amendment provides that the term of enlistment hereafter shall be three years instead of four years and that the enlisted men shall have the privilege of going into the reserve after one year's active service. Mr. Padgett told the House that the provision would in reality mean active service of from twelve to eighteen months, as releases for the reserve will be made only twice a year—in June and December.

Representative Hill, of Connecticut, Republican, offered an amendment to give a bonus of \$100 to every man who enlists in the American navy during the continuance of the European war.

The naval bill will go to a vote in the House today, a special rule providing for its passage before adjournment.

### Sinn Feiners Escape to U. S.

London, June 1.—Leaders of the Irish Sinn Fein wanted in connection with the recent uprisings here escaped from the British Isles to the United States. It is stated in a dispatch from Athlone to the Globe today. Among them was Capt. Merlowe, leader of the anti-government forces in Galway.

### Kaiser Returns to Berlin.

Berlin (via Sayville wireless), June 1.—Emperor William has returned to Berlin from German great headquarters. He held a conference with the Spanish Ambassador, Dr. Polo de Bernabe, during the morning.

### Norwegian Vessel Mine Victim.

London, June 1.—The Norwegian steamship Rauma, 3,047 tons, of Bergen, has been sunk by a mine or submarine. The crew was saved.

## FIRST ITALIAN LINE SMASHED BY AUSTRIANS

Asiago and Arseiro Taken by  
Invaders Who Now At-  
tack Crests.

### 31,000 CAPTIVES TAKEN

Correspondents State 80,000  
Italians Have Been Put  
Out of Action.

### LAST LINE NOW UNDER FIRE

After Asiago-Arseiro Line, Nothing  
Remains in Way of Natural Defenses  
for Plains of Northern Italy.

(International News Service.)

London, June 1.—The Austro-Hungarians have captured Asiago and Arseiro and now are furiously attacking the chain of crests to the southward in a drive on Vicenza.

News of the smashing of the Italian first line of defense reached here today in a delayed official statement, received from Vienna by way of Amsterdam.

The same statement announces the capture of about 31,000 Italian prisoners and 239 guns in the last two weeks. Correspondents at the front estimate that more than 80,000 Italians have been put out of action.

The Italians have at least 120,000 men attempting to stem the Austrian advance, according to correspondents at the front.

The Asiago-Arseiro line and the mountains to the southward form the last line of mountain defense of the vast plains of northern Italy.

### Wings Are Attacked.

An official statement received tonight from Rome reports that the Austrians are bringing great pressure to bear against the Italian wings. The Austrian center also is said to be desperately attacking the Italian mountain-side positions in the Asiago-Arseiro district. Two attacks were repulsed.

An attempt of the Austrians to force Buelo Pass in the Pagarina Valley also was repulsed. The official statement says:

"In the Pagarina Valley there have been artillery duels. The Austrians attempted during the afternoon to make a surprise attack on Buelo Pass, but was repulsed with the bayonet. In the Pagarina sector there was artillery activity."

"In the zone between the Posina and upper Astico violent artillery actions continued yesterday. In the afternoon an Austrian column crossed the Posina torrent and made an attack in the direction of Monte Spiri. This was checked on the far northern slopes of that mountain. Meanwhile another column advanced toward Santi Baldo, southeast of Arseiro, but was driven back in disorder past the Posina."

### Bomb Thrown Captured.

"On Sette Comuni, strong pressure was brought to bear by the Austrian forces against our positions on the wing at Monte Corno and against the small valley of Campo Muto."

"The situation is unchanged in Sugana Valley while in the upper But there was only the usual artillery fire."

"On the Isonzo front, Italian detachments, still making bold incursions, in one reconnaissance captured a bomb thrower."

"On Tuesday and Wednesday our aerial squadrons raided the Asa Valley, bombarding Austrian camps and depots with good effect and returning safely."

## \$5,000,000 Loan Made to China

Money Will Be Used for Com-  
mercial Development  
of Empire.

(By the International News Service.)

New York, June 1.—American aid for the commercial development of Chinese industry was further extended today when a \$5,000,000 loan to the celestial government was arranged through American International Corporation.

The loan will be obtained by means of treasury notes to be bought by the corporation.

One project which the money will be used in the dredging of the Grand Canal in China. This work will be supervised by the American International Corporation. Of the whole amount of the loan, \$2,000,000 will be spent on the canal. The notes for the amount will be issued at once.

The negotiations were carried on through Edwin T. Gregory, Pekin representative of the corporation.

### \$30.50 TO CHICAGO AND RETURN.

Baltimore and Ohio, June 2 to 6, valid returning until 21st, account Republican National Convention. Four through solid steel trains, electrically cooled and lighted, with dining cars, leaving Washington morning, noon, evening and night.—Adv.

## Panama Canal Slides Over, Declares Goethals

(By International News Service.)

New York, June 1.—"The Panama Canal will never be blocked again. The backbone of the slides has been broken."

Such was the statement today of George W. Goethals, governor of the Canal Zone, when he reached port aboard the United Fruit steamer Santa Marta.

"There may be severe earth movements from time to time," he continued, "but nothing of a magnitude that cannot be handled by the force we have down there. The 800,000 cubic yards of rock near Gold Hill that started to shift some months ago has been diverted to a small basin north of Gold Hill and is practically at rest."

## SENATE CONFIRMS LOUIS BRANDEIS

Nomination as Supreme Court  
Justice Is Sanctioned by  
Vote of 47 to 22.

Within ten minutes after the Senate went into executive session yesterday, Louis D. Brandeis was confirmed as an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. The vote was 47 to 22. Three Republicans voted for him and two were paired in his favor. The only Democrat who voted to reject the nomination was Francis G. Newlands, of Nevada. The Senate ordered the injunction of secrecy removed from the vote and the majority and minority reports from the Judiciary Committee.

Under the unanimous consent agreement governing the proceeding, there was to be no debate. To the surprise of his colleagues, however, when his name was called Mr. Newlands made a brief statement. He said he regarded Mr. Brandeis highly as a publicist and a propagandist, but he did not believe he had the proper judicial temperament, and for that reason was compelled to cast his vote against his confirmation. Of all the Democratic members of the body suspected of being opposed to Mr. Brandeis, Mr. Newlands had never been included.

The vote was cast as follows:

For confirmation—Democrats: Ashurst, Bankhead, Beckham, Broussard, Chamberlain, Chilton, Culberson, Fletcher, Gore, Hardwick, Hitchcock, Hollis, Hughes, Husting, James, Kern, Lane, Lee (Md.), Lea (Tenn.), Lewis, Myers, O'Gorman, Overman, Owen, Phelan, Pittman, Randall, Reed, Saulsbury, Shafroth, Sheppard, Shields, Simmons, Smith (Ariz.), Smith (Ga.), Smith (Md.), Smith (S. C.), Stone, Tamm, Thomas, Thompson, Underwood, Vardaman, Walsh, 4; Republicans: La Follette, Norris, Poindexter, 3. Total, 46.

### Against Confirmation—Republicans.

Against confirmation—Republicans: Brady, Brandegee, Clark (Wyo.), Cummins, Curtis, Dillingham, du Pont, Fall, Gallinger, Harding, Lippitt, Lodge, Nelson, Oliver, Pace, Smith (Mich.), Sterling, Sutherland, Townsend, Warren, Works, 2; Democrats: Newlands, 1. Total, 22.

The pairs were as follows: The first name mentioned being favorable to confirmation: Martine with Smoot, Johnson (Me.) with Wadsworth, Clapp (Republican) with Kenyon, Gronna (Republican) with Borah, Bryan with Catron, Pomeroy with Weeks, Martin with McComber, Williams with Penrose, Tillman with Goff, Robinson with Burleigh, Swanson with Jones, Johnson (S. D.) with Colt; absent and not paired: Clark (Ark.), Sherman and McLean. Total, 27.

The minority report was prepared by Senator Clark, of Wyoming, ranking Republican member. The various charges brought against him before the committee were reviewed briefly with special stress being laid upon the evidence submitted in connection with the proposed merger of the United Drug Company, of Massachusetts.

## 'INDECENT' DRESS SCORED BY CATHOLIC ARCHBISHOP

(By the International News Service.)

Milwaukee, Wis., June 1.—Warnings that women and girls "indecently attired" will be refused Holy Communion, were received today by many Milwaukee Catholics. The warning came in the form of a letter from Archbishop Sebastian Messmer to the Catholic clergy of the diocese. It said in part:

"Immodesty and indecency in the manner of dress worn by women and girls is a most distressing and ill-boding feature of modern society. It becomes the strict duty of Catholic clergy to warn the faithful against the evil which is the cause of so much sin and scandal."

"A sermon preached at an early date (within two or three weeks) in the Catholic churches of our diocese will help us powerfully to prevent among our girls and women indecent exposure of naked arms, breasts and shoulders, which has become particularly ostentatious during the summer season."

\$1.00 to Frederick, \$1.25 to Hagerstown and return. Baltimore & Ohio, 8 a. m. Sunday, June 4.—Adv.

## MORE RATIONS FOR SOLDIERS, U. S. ANSWER

Two Million Rounds of Food  
Sent to Columbus, N. Mex.,  
for Use of Pershing.

### SAFEGUARD FOR TROOPS

Washington Officials Call Car-  
ranza Note "Amazing  
and Insolent."

### WILL NOT WITHDRAW FORCES

Opinion Unanimously Held that U. S.  
Cannot Pull Expedition Back Across  
Border in Face of Demands.

Two million rations, sent to Columbus, N. Mex., for the United States forces in Mexico is the answer to date of the United States to the demand of Carranza that the American troops be withdrawn immediately.

These rations would last 13,000 men, the number now in Mexico, for 134 days. In the event of the lines of communication of the American troops being cut, there would be no need to worry about supplies reaching the men.

Coming coincidentally with the branding by officials in Washington of the Carranza note as "the most amazing and insolent diplomatic communication ever received by the United States," the sending of extra supplies to the border may be taken as the forerunner of one of the most firm answers sent from the White House in the course of the late diplomatic correspondence, either with Mexico or any other country.

### Apprehension Felt.

Greatest apprehension was expressed yesterday over the outlook. The threat carried in Carranza's note to make armed attack on the American army unless it was "immediately" withdrawn, inspired four among officials of the Mexican military forces of whom it might be inflamed, if not inspired, to make hostile demonstrations.

Nevertheless there was unanimity of opinion at the White House and at the State and War Departments that Carranza's note had made withdrawal of the United States expedition at this time out of the question. Aside from the political phases of the question officials were convinced that to bring the troops out now, in the face of Carranza's threats, would be to multiply the danger of border raids.

### "Sterling" Circulation.

There is Silverware and Sterling Silverware—here is circulation and A. B. C. circulation. The same difference maintains in both cases.

Washington Herald circulation is computed in accordance with the Audit Bureau of Circulations standards. The A. B. C. is that organization of national advertisers banded together with the idea of insuring the TRUTH about newspaper circulation. With but one exception, The HERALD is the only Washington newspaper honored with membership in this national body that enables an advertiser to know exactly what circulation he is getting; the method of distribution, etc.

### DAILY.

E. C. ROGERS, business manager of The Washington Herald, does solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of the paper named sold and distributed during the month of May, A. D. 1916, was as follows:

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1	37,772	16	38,038
2	36,878	17	37,922
3	38,212	18	38,290
4	38,138	19	38,648
5	38,371	20	38,510
6	38,338	21	38,551
7	38,242	22	38,441
8	38,015	23	38,441
9	38,890	24	38,376
10	38,453	25	38,436
11	38,544	26	38,325
12	38,441	27	38,109
13	37,085	28	36,766
14		29	38,124
15		30	

Less returns..... 1,032,292

43,412

\$85,580

Average daily paid circulation 36,628

Average number of copies for service, exchanges, advertisers, etc..... 949

Average net daily circulation 37,568

### SUNDAY.

Days.	Copies.	Days.	Copies.
7	33,095	21	33,525
14	33,379	28	33,584

Less returns..... 135,983

11,154

Average net paid Sunday Circulation 124,927

Average net paid..... 31,207

Average number of copies for service, exchanges, advertisers, etc..... 858

Average net Sunday circulation 32,065

E. C. ROGERS, Business Manager.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of June, 1916.

(Seal.) PAUL F. CAIN,

Notary Public, D. C.